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In re Application of

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DECISION ON PETITION UNDER 37 CFR 1.47(a)

This decision is issued in response to applicants' "Request for Reconsideration of Decision on Petition under 37 CFR 1.47(a)" filed 18 April 2007. In a decision dated 20 December 2006, applicants' petition under 37 CFR 1.47(a) to accept the application without the signature of joint inventor, Radka Milanova, was dismissed without prejudice.

The petition for status under 37 CFR 1.47(a) is most since the declaration filed 18 April 2007 with the present communication was executed by the named inventor, the previous non-signing inventor, Radka Milanova. The declaration filed 18 April 2007 is acceptable under 37 CFR 1.497.

For the reasons above, the petition under 37 CFR 1.47(a) is **DISMISSED as MOOT**.

The application has an international filing date of 30 July 2004 under 35 U.S.C. 363 and a date of 18 April 2007 under 35 U.S.C. 371(c)(1),(c)(2) and (c)(4).

The application is being returned to the International Division for processing as the U.S. National Stage of the above-identified international application.

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